

COMMONWEALTH OF KENTUCKY
BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

In the Matter of:

THE APPLICATION OF LDC)	
TELECOMMUNICATIONS, INC. FOR A)	CASE NO. 95-311
CERTIFICATE TO RESELL)	
TELECOMMUNICATIONS SERVICE)	

O R D E R

On July 17, 1995, LDC Telecommunications, Inc. ("LDC Telecommunications") filed an application with the Commission seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity to resell intrastate interexchange long-distance telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky. On August 25, 1995, LDC Telecommunications filed its response to the Commission's August 18, 1995 Order requesting additional information.

LDC Telecommunications is a Florida corporation with its principal offices in the state of Florida and intends to resell tariffed services of facilities-based carriers certified by this Commission. LDC Telecommunications does not request authority to provide operator-assisted telecommunications services.

LDC Telecommunications does not own or operate, nor does it intend to construct, any telecommunications transmission facilities within the Commonwealth of Kentucky. All intrastate telecommunications transmission services will be provided by an underlying carrier certified by this Commission.

The application provided by LDC Telecommunications demonstrates its financial, managerial, and technical capability to

provide utility service. The Commission finds that LDC Telecommunications should be authorized to resell intrastate interexchange long-distance telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky.

LDC Telecommunications filed its proposed tariff on July 17, 1995. The Commission finds that the rates proposed by LDC Telecommunications should be approved as the fair, just, and reasonable rates to be charged.

In Administrative Case No. 306¹ the Commission stated the importance of eliminating possible customer confusion arising from the name of the billing service, rather than the name of the provider of telecommunications services, appearing on the bill. Accordingly, LDC Telecommunications should ensure that its name appears prominently on all bills issued to customers for services rendered.

The Commission, having considered the evidence of record and being otherwise sufficiently advised, HEREBY ORDERS that:

1. LDC Telecommunications be and it hereby is granted authority to resell intrastate interexchange long-distance telecommunications services within the Commonwealth of Kentucky on and after the date of this Order.

2. LDC Telecommunications shall ensure that its name appears prominently on all bills issued to customers for services rendered.

¹ Administrative Case No. 306, Detariffing Billing and Collection Services, Order Dated April 30, 1990.

3. LDC Telecommunications' authority to provide service is strictly limited to those services described in this Order and LDC Telecommunications' application.

4. IntraLATA services shall be provided in accordance with the restrictions and conditions of service contained in Administrative Case No. 323.²

5. The rates proposed by LDC Telecommunications on July 17, 1995 are hereby approved.

6. Within 30 days from the date of this Order, LDC Telecommunications shall file, pursuant to 807 KAR 5:011, its July 17, 1995 tariff sheets without modifications.

Done at Frankfort, Kentucky, this 6th day of October, 1995.

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION


Chairman


Vice Chairman


Commissioner

ATTEST:


Executive Director

² Administrative Case No. 323, An Inquiry Into IntraLATA Toll Competition, An Appropriate Compensation Scheme for Completion of IntraLATA Calls by Interexchange Carriers, and WATS Jurisdictionality.